



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Dean Tan, et al.

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For: TECHNIQUES FOR
AUTOMATICALLY INSTALLING
AND CONFIGURING DATABASE
APPLICATIONS

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed April 3, 2006, the expedited two-month period for which runs until June 3, 2006. In order to place the application in condition for allowance, the Applicants make the following amendments and respectfully request reconsideration of the application in light of the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.

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